

I claim:

1. A display structure for energizing at least one light-emitting element, comprising:  
first and second conductors; and  
a plurality of light-emitting elements coupled between said  
conductors.

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2. The structure of claim 1, wherein said conductors are elongate and said light-emitting elements are spaced along said conductors.

3. The structure of claim 1, wherein said light-emitting elements each have anode and cathode surfaces and further including a plurality of resistive members that are each carried over at least one of the anode and cathode surfaces of a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

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4. The structure of claim 1, further including a plurality of wire bonds and wherein each of said light-emitting elements is coupled between said second conductor and a respective one of said wire bonds.

5. The structure of claim 4, further including an insulator carried over one of said first and second conductors wherein said insulator defines a plurality of apertures that each receive a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

6. The structure of claim 4, further including an insulator carried on one of said first and second conductors and configured to permit coupling of said light-emitting elements to said first and second conductors.

7. The structure of claim 4, wherein said light-emitting elements each have anode and cathode surfaces and further including a plurality of resistive members that are each carried over at least one

5 of the anode and cathode surfaces of a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

8. The structure of claim 7, wherein said resistive members are resistive films.

9. The structure of claim 1, wherein said first conductor defines a plurality of tabs and each of said light-emitting elements is coupled between said second conductor and a respective one of said tabs.

10. The structure of claim 9, further including an insulator carried over one of said first and second conductors wherein said insulator defines a plurality of apertures that each receive a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

11. The structure of claim 9, further including an insulator carried on one of said first and second conductors and configured to permit coupling of said light-emitting elements to said first and second conductors.

12. The structure of claim 9, wherein said light-emitting elements each have anode and cathode surfaces and further including a plurality of resistive members that are each carried over at least one of the anode and cathode surfaces of a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

13. The structure of claim 12, wherein said resistive members are resistive films.

14. The structure of claim 1, further including at least one spacer positioned to space said first and second conductors apart wherein said spacer defines an aperture to receive a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

15. The structure of claim 14, wherein said light-emitting elements each have anode and cathode surfaces and further including a plurality of resistive members that are each carried over at least one of the anode and cathode surfaces of a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

16. The structure of claim 15, wherein said resistive members are resistive films.

17. The structure of claim 14, wherein said spacer define a light redirector positioned to redirect light from the respective light-emitting element

18. The structure of claim 17, wherein said light redirector has a concave shape.

19. The structure of claim 17, wherein said light redirector has a substantially parabolic shape.

20. The structure of claim 17, wherein said spacer defines first and second light redirectors that diverge with increasing distance from said aperture.

21. The structure of claim 17, further including a phosphor film carried on said light redirectors to enhance light radiated by said light-emitting elements.

22. The structure of claim 17, wherein said light redirector has a cup shape.

23. The structure of claim 17, wherein said spacer defines an array of cup-shaped light redirectors that each surround a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

24. The structure of claim 23, further including a substantially-transparent sheet positioned over said light redirector and further including a phosphor film carried on said sheet to enhance light radiated by said light-emitting elements.

25. The structure of claim 14, wherein said spacer comprises a polymer.

26. The structure of claim 14, further including an insulator carried over one of said first and second conductors wherein said insulator defines a plurality of apertures that each receive a respective one of said light-emitting elements.

27. The structure of claim 14, further including an insulator carried on one of said first and second conductors and configured to permit coupling of said light-emitting elements to said first and second conductors.

28. The structure of claim 3, further including a polymer tube that encloses said first and second conductors, said light-emitting elements and said resistive members.

29. The structure of claim 3, further including a polymer member that encloses said first and second conductors, said light-emitting elements and said resistive members.

30. The structure of claim 29, wherein said polymer member defines a mounting surface.

31. The structure of claim 29, wherein said polymer member defines a mounting flange.

32. The structure of claim 29, wherein said polymer member defines at least one outward-extending rib.